Taylor Holmes, Broadway Comedian, to Head Vaudeville Bill.

Chase's will open for the fourteenth season with a matinee tomorrow of unusual brilliance. It will be an inaugural to which patrons of the house have looked forward to for months, and their expectancy has been whetted by the advance reports of the bills which have been prepared for the new season, the large numbers of international stars, the beautification of the theater which has been in progress all summer, and other promises.

Advance sales and the assignment of reservations have been large, but mostly confined to the latter half of the week. In the program for tomorrow there is

not an act that has ever been presented here. The chief attraction is the clever Broadway comedian, Taylor Holmes, late star of "The Commuters" and "Marriage a 'a Carte." Appearing in a straight comedy role, he is charming and original. An extra foreign novelty is the world-famous Marimba Band, of Guatemala, in grand opera and folk songs, on quaint and tuneful marimbas. songs, on quaint and tuneful marimbas, the favorite instrument in the little South American republic. Mrs. Gene Hughes and company offer Edgar Allen Woolf's late and funny sketch, "Youth," dealing in a very mirthful way with the theme. The original Hanlon Brothers and company, of "Superba" and "Fantasma" fame, will be seen in a pantomimic farce, "Just Phor Phun." Miss Lee White and George Perry will appear as "The Smiling Singers of Smiling Songs." The Iollen sisters will introduce an Australian aerial novelty. Mme. Jacobs' Comedy Dogs, with Victor, the talking dog. The aerial novelty. Mme. Jacobs' Comed Dogs, with Victor, the talking dog. Th wonderful daylight motion pictures of "The Battle Hymn of the Republic" will be the concluding number

"Love by Wireless" Heads Casino Bill This Week

"Love By Wireless," which was booked for last week at the Casino, and Linder. was set back owing to its retention in Philadelphia for a second week, will Philadelphia for a second week, will flash its way before a Washington vaudeville audience tomorrow for an engagement that the management expects to be memorable for miniature musical comedies. There are all sorts promised for Johnny Eckert and his promised for Johnny Eckert and his summer boarders, who will present summer boarders, who will present "Love by Wireless." There are seven Lyceum Opens Season people in the company, mostly girls Other features announced for the week are Ray Fern, known to patrons of high-class vaudeville for her comedy her winning personalit Swan and Bambard, in their original Swan and Bambard, in their original knockabout comedy act: Davis and Emerson, in their comedy novelty musi-cal act, and the great Chiyos brothers, in a Japanese acrobatic and equilibristle number.

New photo plays, which are so popular at the Casino, will be shown for the

Thrilling Melodrama Is Bill at Academy

The new melodrama, "The Chief of the Secret Service," will appear at the Academy for the week, the first performance being given tomorrow night. The usual Tuesday, Thursday, and Satureay matinees will be given.

"The Chief of the Secret Service" is said to be interesting, amusing, and exciting. There are four acts to the play, and these are divided into thirteen lines, and those acts of fast week's bill high-class musical show. He submits the scenes. The more elaborate ones are the Which are decemed suitable, will have a Walderf-Astoria Hotel, the Armory of change of program wherever possible, the Eighth Regiment on the ringht of the eriminal court. Sing Sing prison, the rained mill, which is instantly changed into a field of waving corn, and the vills on the Hudson river. An excellent company, which includes the elever Jewish comedian, Harry Fields, will appear in the play.

Inos, and those acts of last week's bill high-class musical show. He submits for the Gayety patrons as headliners Robert Algier, Johnnie Walker, the Symphony Quartet, Fanny St. Clair, Jim C. Dixon, Martie Reagan, Alexis and Shay, Lucia Cooper, Gloria Martinez, and Singing numbers, Ethel Egamor, singtened and Danforth, novelty musicians, and Jean Irwin, the dainty songstress. There are orchestral numbers, and motion pictures conclude will appear in the play.

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HARRY FIELDS

Counsel II Will Head Bill at Cosmos Theater

The Cosmos Theater offering for this week gives promise of being "some show for the money." First on the list is Counsel II. This intelligent animal was a headliner a year ago, and twelve months' careful training has developed months careful training has developed him into a monkey boy, or boy monkey. Counsel is a feature in Woodford's Animal act. The next on the bill are Delmar and Bernard, and Howard and Linder. It is claimed that no one cun see these two acts without laughing. They are said to be the pick of laugh producers in vaudeville and appear in this city for the dest time.

With "The Jolly Girls"

"The Jolly Girls" Company comes to a week. The attraction this season is well equipped with talent, scenery, cos-tumes, and electrical effects, with plenty to amuse and entertain from the rising of the curtain until its final

Couvier, and Jim Dougherts, singing will be continued comedy artists; Clara Gibson, the comedy artists: Clara Gibson, the "Little Ginger Girl," Charles Barrett, Ed Bruce, and others. Matt Kennedy is the comedian in both the opening and closing burlettas. There also is a large chorus of good looking girls.

Cosmos Sunday Concert.

Several new specialties have been arranged for today's concert at the Costhe program.

COLUMBIA PLAYERS WILL PRESENT "THE

> Iones' Cynical English Comedy.

A genuine society play will be placed before the patrons of the Columbia Theater tomorrow night when the Columbla players will present one of the Empire Theater successes, with which the names of Sir Charles Wyndham and John Drew are inseparably linked, entitled "The Llars," a comedy in four acts by Henry Arthur Jones.

A. H. Van Buren will appear as Col. Sir Christopher Deering. Sir Christopher/is a man of wit as well as of inate sincerity, and in this role Mr. Van Buren will have the opportunity of exhibiting the delightful trait of amiable

The comedy is exceptionally brilliant, especially in the third act. A loveless marriage and its consequences, when a dashing, soldierly man who has won the admiration of his country, undertakes to say those sweet little nothings that the husband in his jealousy fails to utter himself, is the basis of the story. The resultant little indiscretions on the part of the wife and her efforts to keep her hasband in ignorance thereof culminate in a continuous stream of misstatements in which she soon involves all her friends who try to shield her. Hence the title of the The play is modern and its scenes

are all laid in England. The cast of characters will include Frances Nellson, as the wife, Lady Jessica Neapean; George W. Barbier,

as Gilbert Neapean, her husband; Carrie Thatcher, as her sister, Lady Rosas mund Tatton; Jessie Glendinning, as Dolly Coke, her cousin; Emelie Mel-ville, as Mrs. Crespin; Nina Melville. as Beatrice Ebernoe; Frederick For-rester, as George Neapean, Gilbert's brother; Arthur Ritchie, as Freddie Tatton, Lady Rosamund's husband; Stanley James, as Archibald Coke, Dolly's husband; Willard Robertson, as a waiter at the Star and Garter John M. Kline, as Gadsby; and Joseph Hazleton, as the footman at Cadogan

Holden Players Prepare To Produce Dora Thorne

While members of the Holden Players are engaged with rehearsals of the opening production, "Dora Thorne," decorators, cleaners, and other workmen are at work putting the playhouse in order for the opening, Monday August 28. Every effort is being made the New Lyceum Theater tomorrow for to open the Majestic with as excellent a presentation of Bertha Clay's play as possible. Patrons of the Majestic are assured that with good players, special scenic and mechanical effects, and good the rising of the curtain until its final fall, the management declares.

The olio is composed of acts that have been selected with a view to getting good vaudeville and includes Terrell and Simon, comedy instrumentalists; the Flying Weavers: Lena La

> "Jersey Lilies" at The Gayety This Week

In presenting the "Jersey Lillies" at the Gayety Theater this week, James E. Cooper says he will not need any further notice than his first performance to let Washington know that he has a

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ture songs are promised.

CASINO'S ALL-STAR BILL IS THE BIG SHOW IN TOWN

Johnny Eckert and His Six Summer Boarders in "Love by Wireless," Head an Array of Vaudeville Features That Promise to Draw Record-Breaking Crowds.

Upwards of 15,000 people responded to ington to play over the Sullivan-Consithe season's call at the Casino Theater during the past six days, including last night's large audiences. That number may be more or less than some other waudeville. As a sure-fire hit, they are theaters played to last week, but that feature is immaterial. The fact that so many people in Washington enjoyed reg-utar vaudeville at popular prices in the beautiful playhouse at Seventh and F streets is a distinct compliment to the new enterprise and a tribute to the ex-cellence of the initial bill. Certainly this city has never enjoyed

at popular prices such a combination of high-grade vaudeville and exclusive firstrun photo plays as the Casino offered

bound to prove a drawing card for the

Davie and Emerson have a comedy musical act in which there are a num-ber of good laughs besides some excel-lent instrumental work.

Ray Fern, a singing comedian right off Broadway, has a fund of new ones ready to spring, and the prediction is made that he will be a winner all week. The Great Chiyos are Japanese equilib-rists and jugglers with a routine that is somewhat different from the usual run of acts in this line.

run photo plays as the Casino offered last week, and it stands to reason that continuance of the new policy in the nearly new theater is going to enable this theater to maintain the lead it has taken.

For this week five more big acts have been booked, each being a standard feature and having made good in some of the leading theaters of America.

Topping the bill will be Johnny Eckert and his Six Summer Boarders in the tabloid musical comedy, "Love by Wireless." This act goes West from Wash-

The Casino projects the largest, clearest and most vivid motion picture in Washington, and those who saw last

week's subjects were unanimous in pro-claiming them the best in Washington. The proof of this claim may be found any day or night at the theater. In addition to the show, there is the additional pleasure of enjoying the pro-gram in a regular theater, with all the comforts and conveniences that are expected in conjunction with a regular theatrical attraction.

The Casino prices never change. They are ten and twenty cents, with 1,000 seats at the matinees for ten cents.

This afternoon and tonight there will be a Sunday concert that will compare with the best presented in Washington and then some. It will start at 3 o'clock

KINEMACOLOR WILL REMAIN ANOTHER **WEEK AT BELASCO** LIARS" THIS WEEK

Well Cast for Henry Arthur Scenes of Coronation in Natural Colors Compelled to Extend Time.

> The presentation of the Kinemacotor views in natural colors of the coronation of King George V of England served to crowd the Belasco Theater last week, and so great has been the demand for seats that the engagement has been extended for a second week, begin-

ning with the two exhibitions today For sixty years scientists have tried in vain to discover a method for taking photographs in natural colors, and it has remained for an American, Charles Urban, and an Englishman, G. Albert Smith, to unlock the doors of nature's secret and finally produce motion pho-tographs in all the realism and glory of the hues of nature.

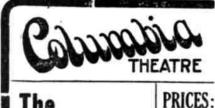
of the huse of nature.

For this week the Belasco will nave some new views of the coronation, including one showing the procession of the clergy carrying the royal jewels and crowns used in the coronation at Westminster Abbey. The program also will include the unveiling of the Queen Victoria monument by King George, assisted by the Emperor of Germany; the review of the troops, the gayly dressed soldlers from India, Canada, Australia, and New Zealand; the royal coronation procession, and the visit of the King to historic Old London, attended by a glittering pageant of cavalry, infantry, and artillery in their glowing uniforms.

Haag Shows Coming.

When the Mighty Haag Shows exhibit in Washington, August 26, local aeronautical enthusiasts will have an opportunity to see some aeroplane flying by Mons. Di Pauhlam, a French birdman. Another special feature of the Haag shows is its menagerie. This includes a troupe of American and European hears and blue-faced monkeys. The shows will arrive in Washington at 4:39 on the morning of schilding free Wilstein free. morning of exhibition from Wilmington, Del., and will pitch tents at Fifteenth Del., and will pitch tents at Fifteenth and H streets northeast. During the morning there will be a street parade

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Free concerts, moving pictures, and various other amusements comprise the chief features of today's offering at Glen Echo Park. Music will be provided today by a combination band and orchestra recruited from the musicians of the United States Soldiers' Home, and under the leadership of Conductor John S. M. Zimmermann. Two concerts John S. M. Zimmermann. Two concerts are given both afternoon and evening, starting at 2:39 and 8:30 o'clock, and for today unusually inviting programs have been prepared. The moving picture exhibition starts promptly at 8:30 o'clock. A big vaudeville show will be introduced tomorrow. Performances will be continued throughout the week at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and at 8:30 o'clock in the evening. For the opening bill a spectacular feature has been secured in the Hellkvists, a pair of expert cured in the Hellkvists, a pair of expert Swedish divers, who perform a number of amazing natatorial feats.

Casino Concert.

Tonight's concert at the Casino will embrace a number of features not down on the program this week. The extra features promise to be a big drawing card. This will be the Casino's first Sunday concert, following a successful opening week. Beginning at 3 o'clock the doors will be open until 10:30.

wards in London hospitals.

German dragoons crossing the Rhine, and mining lignite in Bohemia are other features of a spectacular nature. The latest Paris fashions are naturally a very artistic subject, which will no doubt prove as interesting to "milady" as Forlanin's hydroplane—the latest invention to conquer both air and water at high speed—will appeal to the masculine spectator.

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